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## **ArtCenter/South Florida**

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### 2006 Miami Beach Black History Month Exhibition ***Black to Black: A discourse about color and race***

At City Hall, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Public Gallery

Curated by ArtCenter/South Florida

January 16<sup>th</sup> – February 28, 2006

(Miami Beach, FL) ***Black to Black: A discourse about color and race*** features work by ArtCenter/South Florida Artists-in-Residence: Vickie Pierre, Kerry Phillips, Franklin Sinanan, Patrick De Castro and George Le Bar.

This group of five artists has come together to converse about the word "Black". "Black" has been and is currently a loaded and charged word. History has defined and redefined what it means to be "black" over and over and its perception is constantly evolving and changing.

***In Black to Black: A discourse about color and race*** these five artists redefine the meaning of the word according to their own experience. The only thing in common is all five artists use paint as their medium of choice.

The exhibition purposefully juxtaposes artwork that experiments with black (color) as a hue, with artwork that uses symbolism commonly associated with black (race) experience. This juxtaposition aims to highlight the associations we have with defining what is "Black".

### **ArtCenter/South Florida Hours**

800, 810 and 924 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, Florida 33139

Monday – Wednesday from 11:00 am to 10:00 pm

Thursday - Sunday from 11:00 am – 11:00 pm.

Admission is free.

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